

ಬಹಳ ತೊಂದರೆಯಾಗುತ್ತದೆ. ಈಗ ನಾವು 2 ಸಾವಿರದ 400 ರೂಪಾಯಿಗಳವರೆಗೆ ಇನ್ ಕಂ ಇರತಕ್ಕಂಥವರ ಬೆಳೆ ಹೋದರೆ ಕೂಡಾ ರುವದಿಲ್ಲ. ಸಾಲವನ್ನು ಮನ್ನಾ ಮಾಡಬೇಕೆಂದು ಮಾಡಿ ದ್ದೇವೆ. ಅದರಿಂದ ಮಾರ್ಯ ಸದಸ್ಯರು ಹೇಳಿರತಕ್ಕಂಥ ವಿಚಾರದ ಬಗ್ಗೆ ಯೋಚನೆ ಮಾಡುತ್ತೇವೆ.

Payment of Salaries of Town Municipal Council in Muldebihal Town.

455 SRI M. M. SAJJAN. (Muldebihal)—Will the Minister for Municipal Administration and Political Pension be pleased to state.—

(a) whether it is a fact that salaries/wages of the employees of T. M. Cs. of Muldebihal town and Talikot town are not paid regularly and completely on due dates ;

(b) if so, the reasons for non-payment of wages/salaries in due dates and the steps taken to ensure that their salaries/wages are paid in full regularly and completely on due date ?

SRI D. K. NAIKAR.—(Minister for Municipal Administration and Political Pension).

(a) No

(b) Does not arise in view of the reply given to clause (a)

SRI M. M. SAJJAN. These are TMCs of my constituency. I have personally visited these places and the employees had represented to me that they have not been paid their salaries fully for the simple reason that D. A. grants have not been given by the Government to the Municipalities, and under those circumstances the staff have not been paid. May I know whether the D. A. grants have been paid to these Municipalities for the last four years ?

SRI D. K. NAIKAR.—For the question that they have not been regularly paid, the answer given is yes' But it is not a fact that they have not been paid at all. They have been paid salaries not on the 1st, but on 10th or 15th. In fact there are no arrears to the employees. That is why I have said, regularly not paid, but irregularly paid. Another question he has raised is about the D. A. grant I may inform him that provisional grant has been released and some balance grant is yet to be released. Instructions are being given to Divisional Commissioners to release the amount.

SRI M. M. SAJJAN.—The hon. Minister has just now said that they have been irregularly paid but my problem is that they are not completely paid every month. Supposing an employee is entitled to receive Rs. 200, he is paid only Rs. 150 and another Rs. 50 is not paid to him because they have no amount to pay.

SRI D. K. NAIKAR —I have given replies on the basis of information supplied to me. If something is due according to the information of the hon. member, I have instructed the Divisional Commissioner to release the grant which would help them to pay the amount.

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ಶ್ರೀ ಚೌದರೆಡ್ಡಿಯವರ ಪರವಾಗಿ ಶ್ರೀ ಕೆ. ಆರ್. ಎಸ್. ನಾಯ್ಡುವರು ಪ್ರಶ್ನೆ ನಂ. 474 ಕೇಳಬಹುದು.

Selection Grade for the Teachers

474 SRI K. R. SRINIVASALU NAIDU (Shantinagar) [on behalf of SRI CHOWDA REDDY (Chinthamani)].—Will the Minister of State for Primary and Secondary Education be pleased to state.—

(a) whether it is a fact that selection grade had been given to all those teachers who have put in 20 years of service in the Education Department ;

(b) the number of teachers who have not been given this benefit;

(c) the reason for not extending this benefit to those assistant masters who have put in twenty years of service ?

SRI V. S. KOUJALGI (Minister of State for Family Planning) [on behalf of Sri Mallikarjuna Kharge (Minister of State for Primary and Secondary Education)].

(a) Selection grade has been awarded to Assistant Masters working in Government High Schools on the basis of seniority *cum* merit subject to the posts not exceeding 20 per cent of the cadre strength. Selection grade has been awarded to Assistant Masters working in Aided High Schools on completion of satisfactory service of 20 years subject to the condition that at any time the total number of sanctions for the said grade should not exceed 20 per cent of the total strength of the posts of Assistant Masters in Aided Schools of the State.

(b)	1 Government High Schools	...	402
	(Ex-Local Body Schools)		
	2 Non-Government High Schools	...	114
		Total	516

(c) Government High Schools. (Ex-Local Body Schools) prior to the issue of the Government Order taking over the Local Body Schools the employees of the schools were treated on par with the employees of the Private Aided Institutions. Accordingly, selection grade was given to teachers who had put in 20 years of service and this was limited to 20% of the total number of teachers in the lower cadre.